UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

MOHAMMED A. TIPOO,

Plaintiff.

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COHEN & SLAMOWITZ, LLP,

Defendant.

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No. 11 Civ. 6046 (RJS) <u>ORDER</u>

RICHARD J. SULLIVAN, District Judge:

By Memorandum and Order dated May 30, 2012, the Court granted the motion of Plaintiff's former counsel, Shimshon Wexler ("Wexler"), for a charging lien in the amount of \$1,800, representing the amount of attorney's fees and costs owed "pursuant to an . . . agreement between Wexler and Defendant." The Court also ordered "that Defendant pay to Plaintiff \$3,000, consistent with the settlement that the parties entered into on December 2, 2011," and indicated that "[a]fter payment has been transferred, Wexler can then recover by exercising the . . . charging lien in the amount of \$1,800." The Court is now in receipt of Wexler's letter, dated June 13, 2012, requesting a pre-motion conference regarding his contemplated motion, presumably against Defendant, for attorney's fees in the amount of \$3,600. Because the Court has already ordered Defendant to pay Plaintiff \$3,000 – an amount that includes Wexler's negotiated attorney's fees and costs – and because the Court indicated that Wexler could exercise

his charging lien after Defendant pays Plaintiff \$3,000, the Court deems made and DENIES Wexler's contemplated motion.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 13, 2012

New York, New York

RICHARD J. ŠULLIVAN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE